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concerning the present application. The instant request provides the PTO with correct data so that the records for this patent application may be appropriately updated.

(1) The date of priority was erroneously indicated as "03/12/2003" instead of

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Including:

- X 1. A specification including claims consisting of 12 pages.
- X 2. Informal Drawings consisting of 1 sheet.
- X 3. Declaration and Power of Attorney will follow.
- X 4. Benefit of co-pending <u>Italian</u> patent application number <u>BO2003A</u> filed on <u>March 13, 2003</u> is being claimed.
- X 5. The priority document will follow.

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An assignment of the invention to Magneti Marelli Powertrain S.p.A. will

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